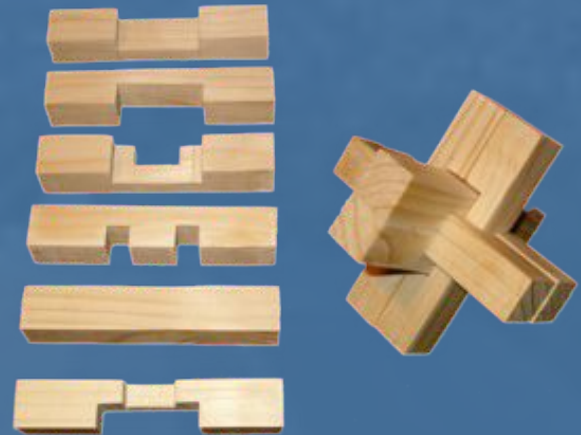


# The Challenges Ahead

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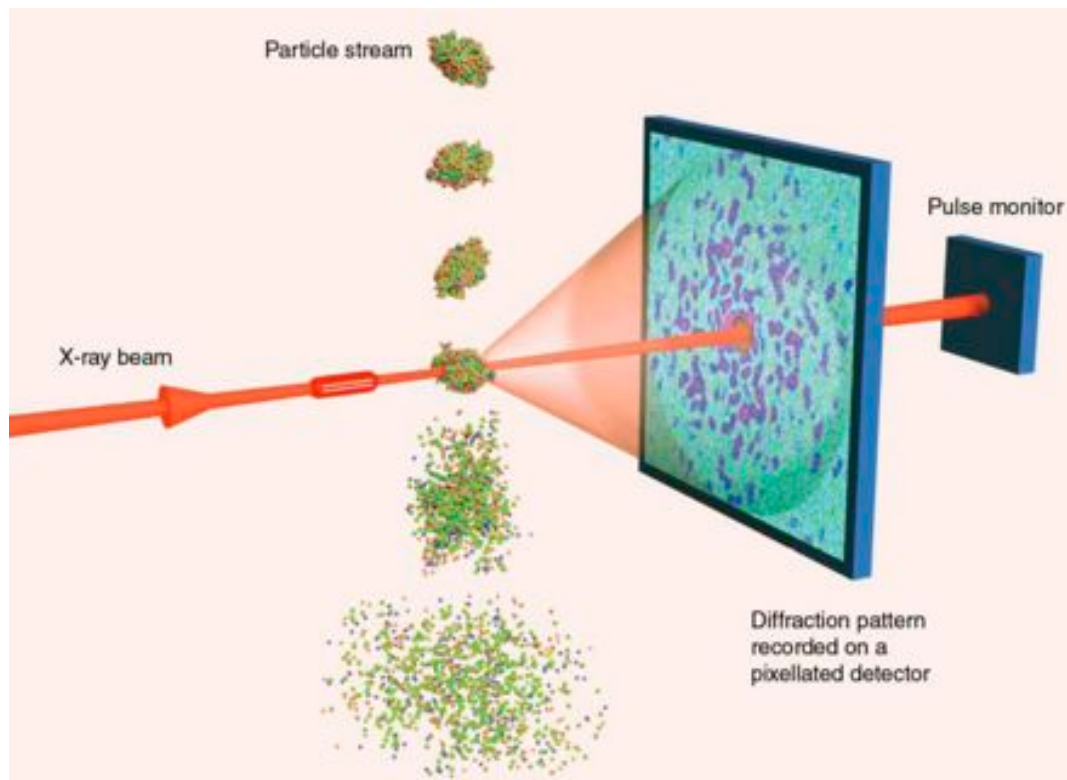
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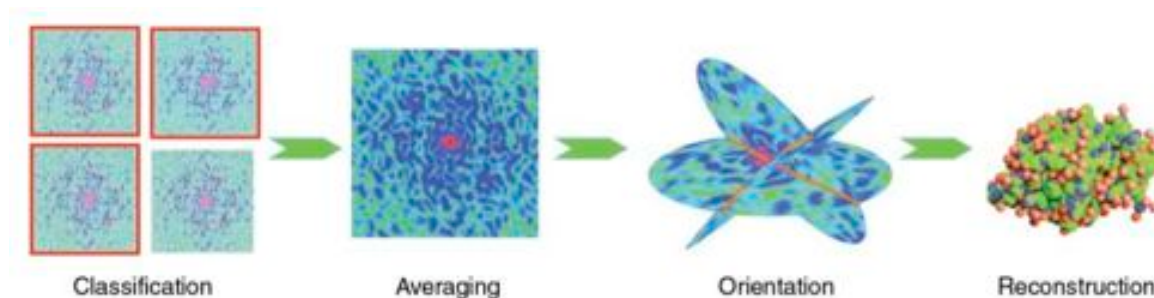
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# A typical X-ray coherent diffractive imaging experiment



1. An X-ray beam hits the sample
2. It's scattering pattern is recorded
3. The structure of the sample is recovered from the pattern.



Gaffney, K.J. & Chapman,  
Science, 316, 1444-8 (2007).



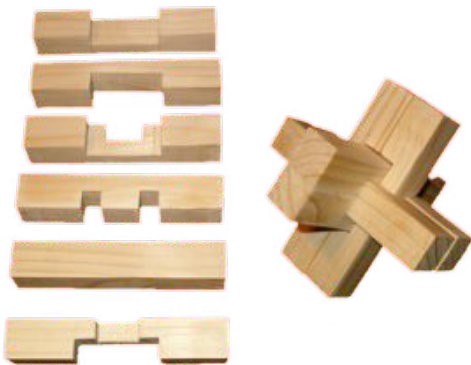
# What are the major challenges ahead for X-ray Coherent Diffraction Imaging?



Data Deluge



Validation



3D Assembly





# Data Deluge





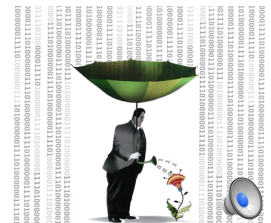
# The number of X-ray free electron lasers is rapidly increasing.

**Table 2. List of SASE X-ray Free-Electron Laser User Facilities Currently Proposed, in Construction, or in Operation <sup>a</sup>**

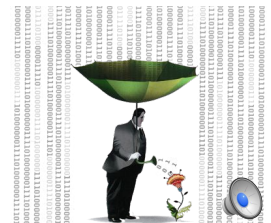
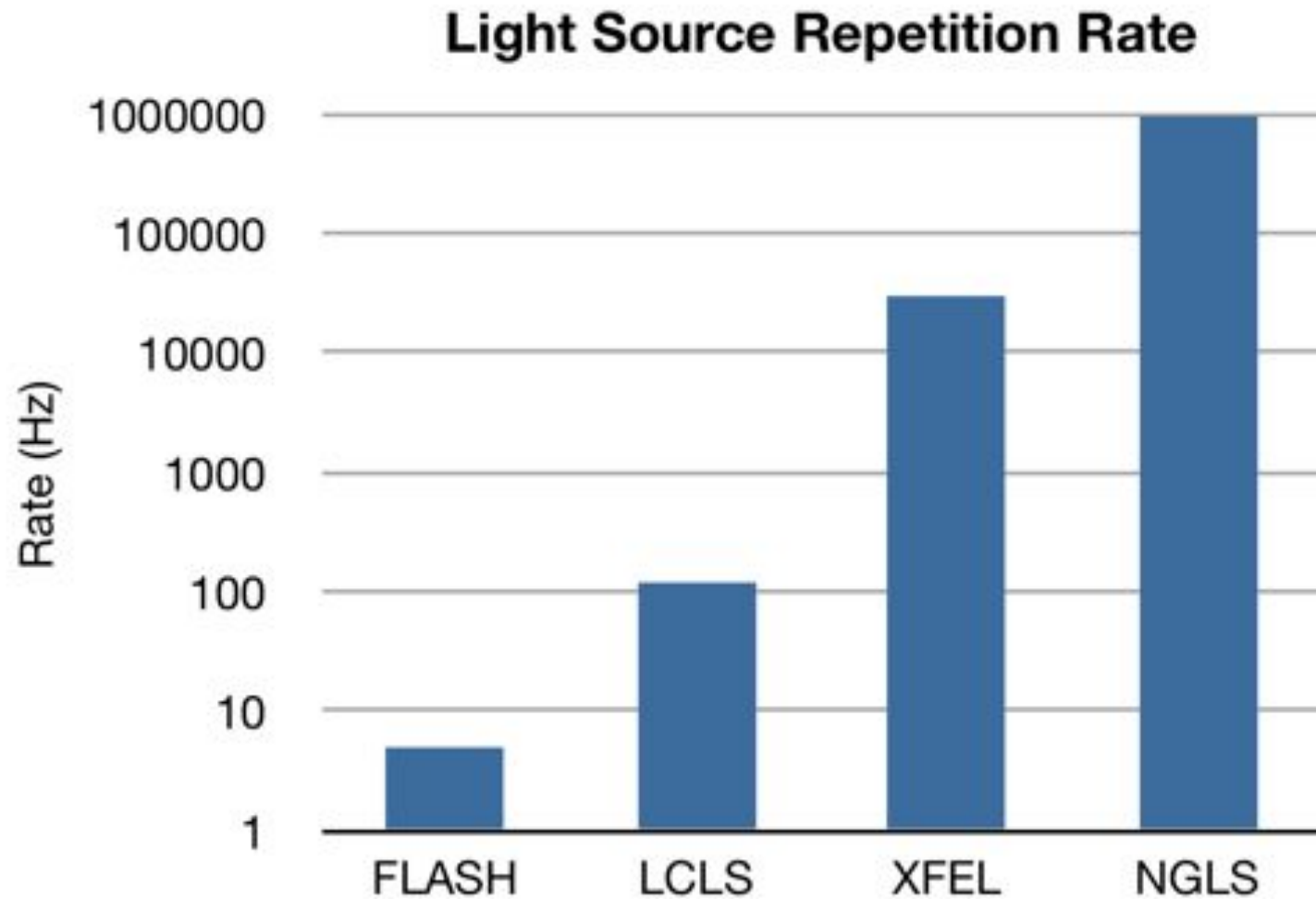
Facility	Proposed By	Wavelength Range	Status	Operation
Arc-en-Ciel	Synchrotron SOLEIL, France	200 nm–0.2 nm	Proposal	
European XFEL	XFEL Company, Germany	2 nm–0.1 nm	Construction	2015
FERMI @ Elettra	Elettra, Italy	80 nm–4 nm	Commissioning	2011
FLASH	DESY, Germany	60 nm–5 nm	Operation	2005
JLAMP	Jefferson Laboratory, USA	120 nm–10 nm	Proposal	2016
LCLS	SLAC National Accelerator Lab, USA	2.5 nm–0.12 nm	Operation	2009
MAX-IV	MAXLab, Sweden	to 1 nm	Proposal	
Next Gen. Light Source	Lawrence Berkeley National Lab, USA	to 1.2 nm	Proposal	2020
Pohang XFEL	Pohang Light Source, Republic of Korea	to 0.1 nm	Proposal	2015
Polish FEL	Soltan Inst. for Nuclear Studies, Poland	to 9 nm	Proposal	2015
SCSS	SPring-8 Light Source, Japan	to 0.1 nm	Construction	2010
SCSS Test Accelerator	SPring-8 Light Source, Japan	to 50 nm	Operation	2006
Shanghai FEL	Shanghai Inst. of Applied Phys., China	to 9 nm	Construction	2015
SPARX	University of Rome Tor Vergata, Italy	40 nm–0.5 nm	Proposal	2013
Swiss XFEL	Paul Scherer Institute, Switzerland	to 0.1 nm	Proposal	2016
TAC SASE FEL	Turkish Accelerator Complex, Turkey	to 7 nm	Proposal	

<sup>a</sup>The quoted wavelength ranges are, in some instances, reached with post-construction upgrades.

Galayda, J.N. et al. X-ray free-electron lasers - present and future capabilities.  
*JOSA B* 27, B106-B118 (2010).



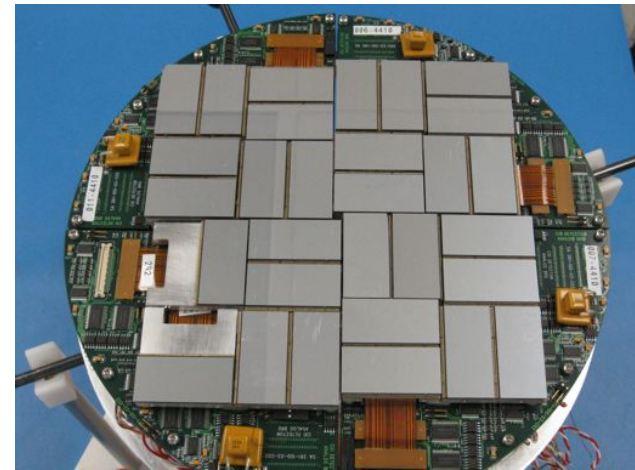
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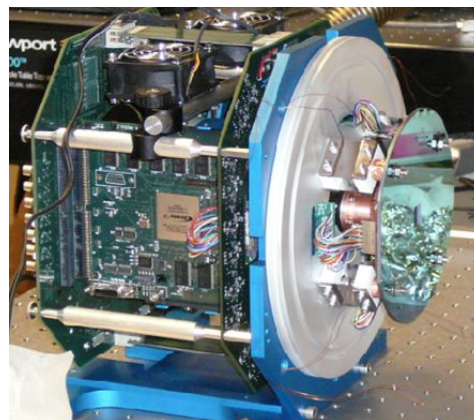
... and the detectors are doing their best to keep up with it.



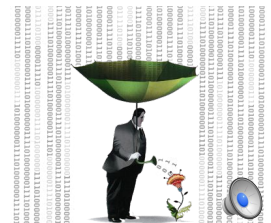
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frame rate 30 Hz



CXI detector,  
frame rate 120 Hz

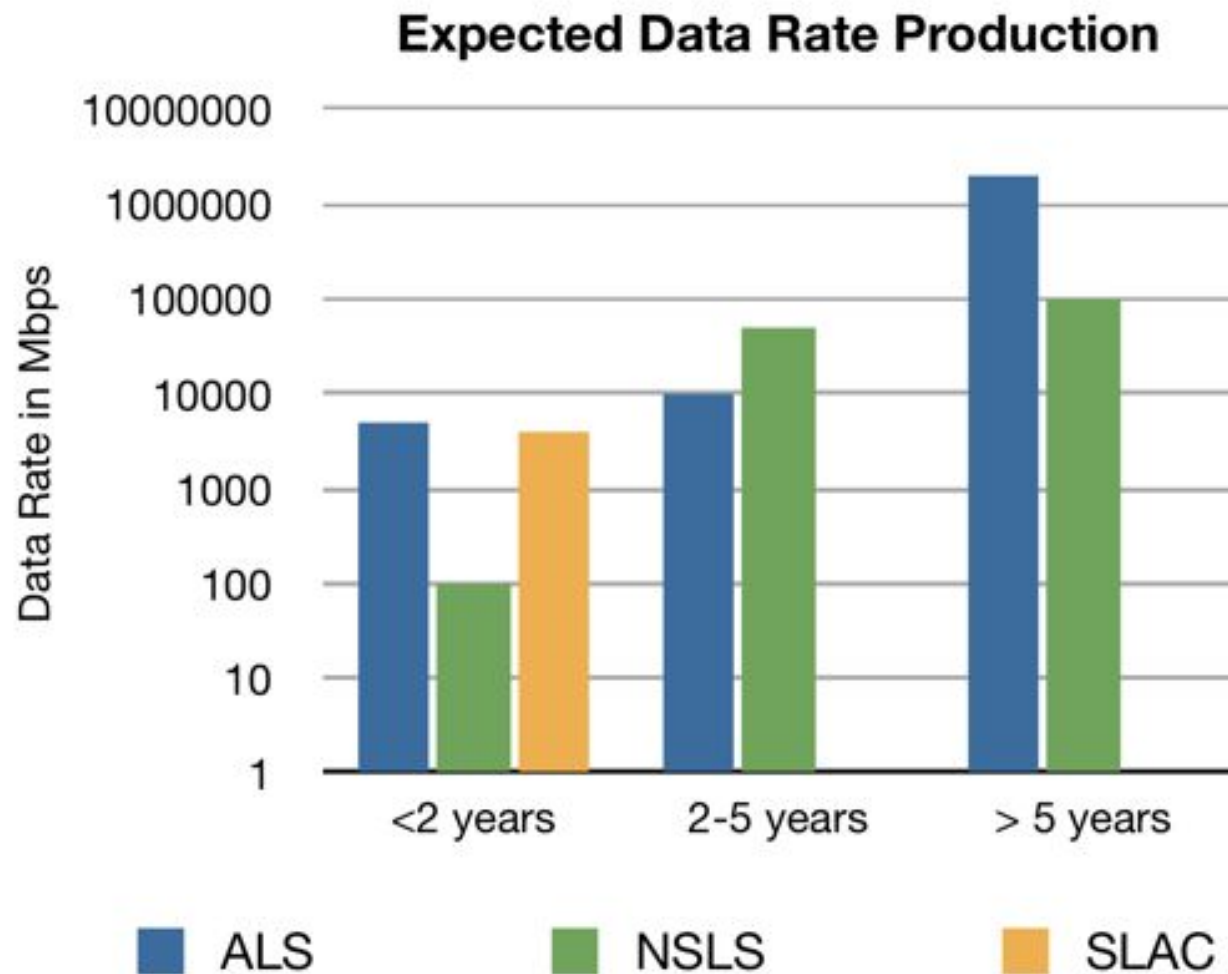


FastCCD,  
frame rate 200 Hz

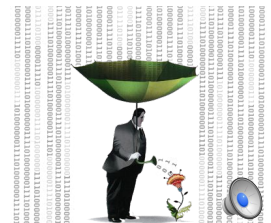




The growth in data rate is not confined to free electron lasers.



Report of the Basic Energy Sciences Network Requirements Workshop - 2010

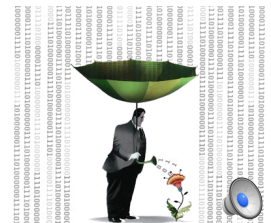


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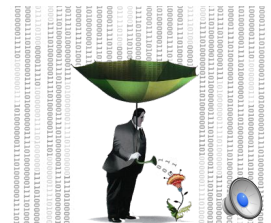


**European XFEL**

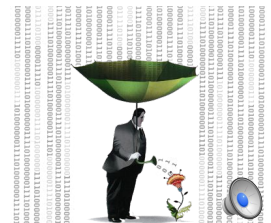
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370 TB/hr**



# Data logistics



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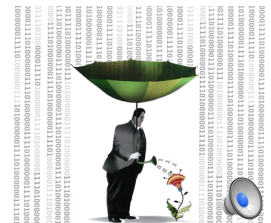


**We are not the only  
ones with this problem**

*“Most scientific disciplines are finding the data deluge to be extremely challenging, and tremendous opportunities can be realized if we can better organize and access the data.”*

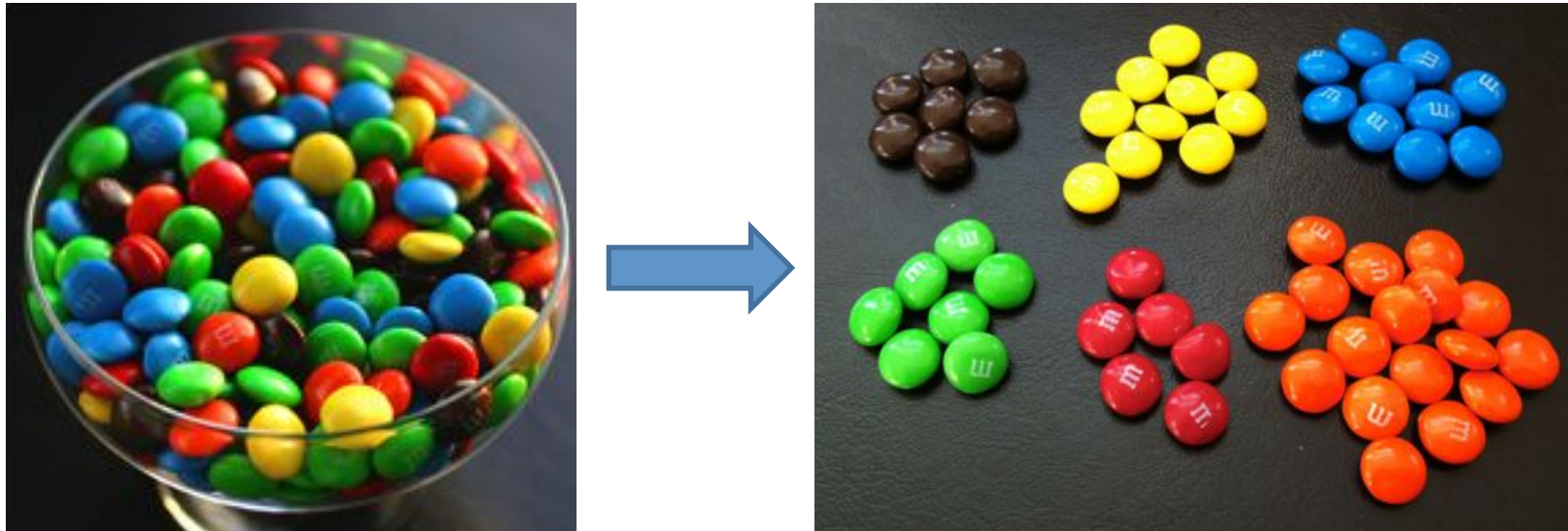
-- Science Staff

Special Issue:  
Dealing with Data, *Science*, February 2011

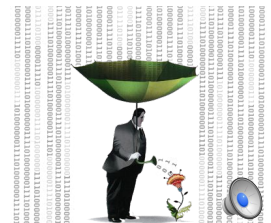




## Sorting the raw data in categories for later analysis is challenging



- Millions of images to go through
- Often low signal to noise ratios
- Many approaches yet to be explored



# Sorting using machine learning algorithms

## Unsupervised classification of single-particle X-ray diffraction snapshots by spectral clustering

Chun Hong Yoon,<sup>1</sup> Peter Schwander,<sup>1</sup> Chantal Abergel,<sup>2</sup> Inger Andersson,<sup>3</sup>  
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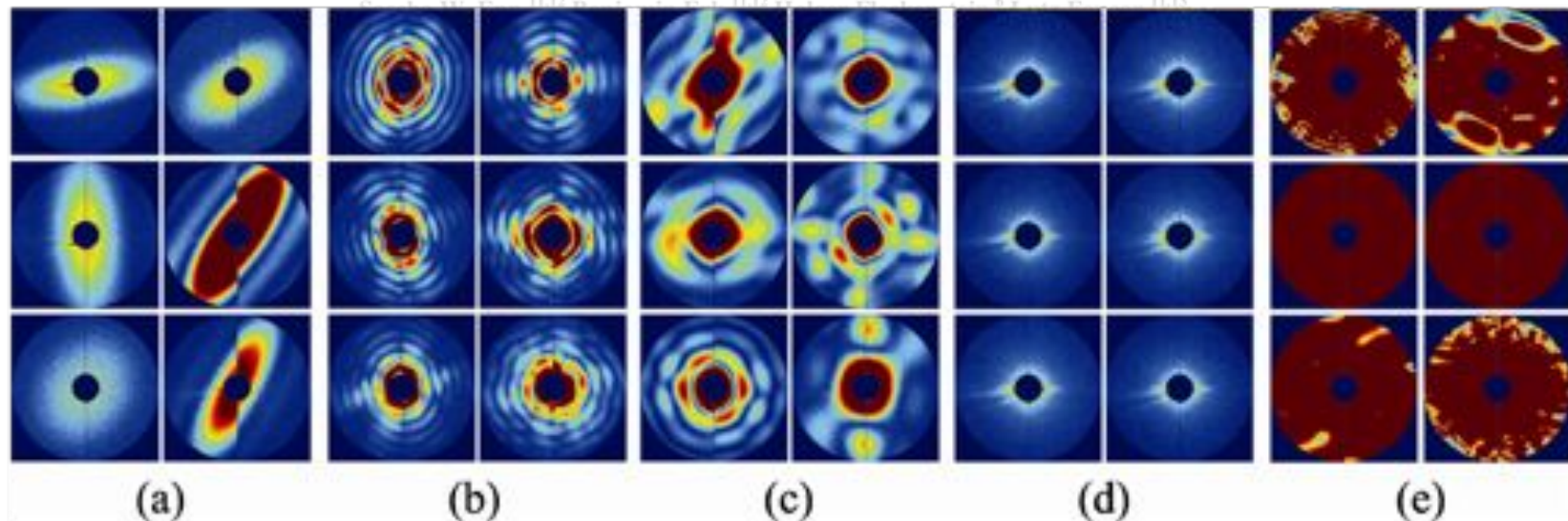
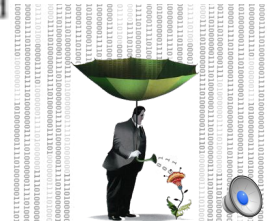


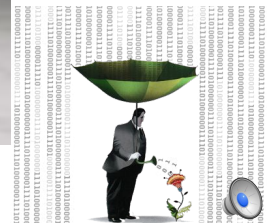
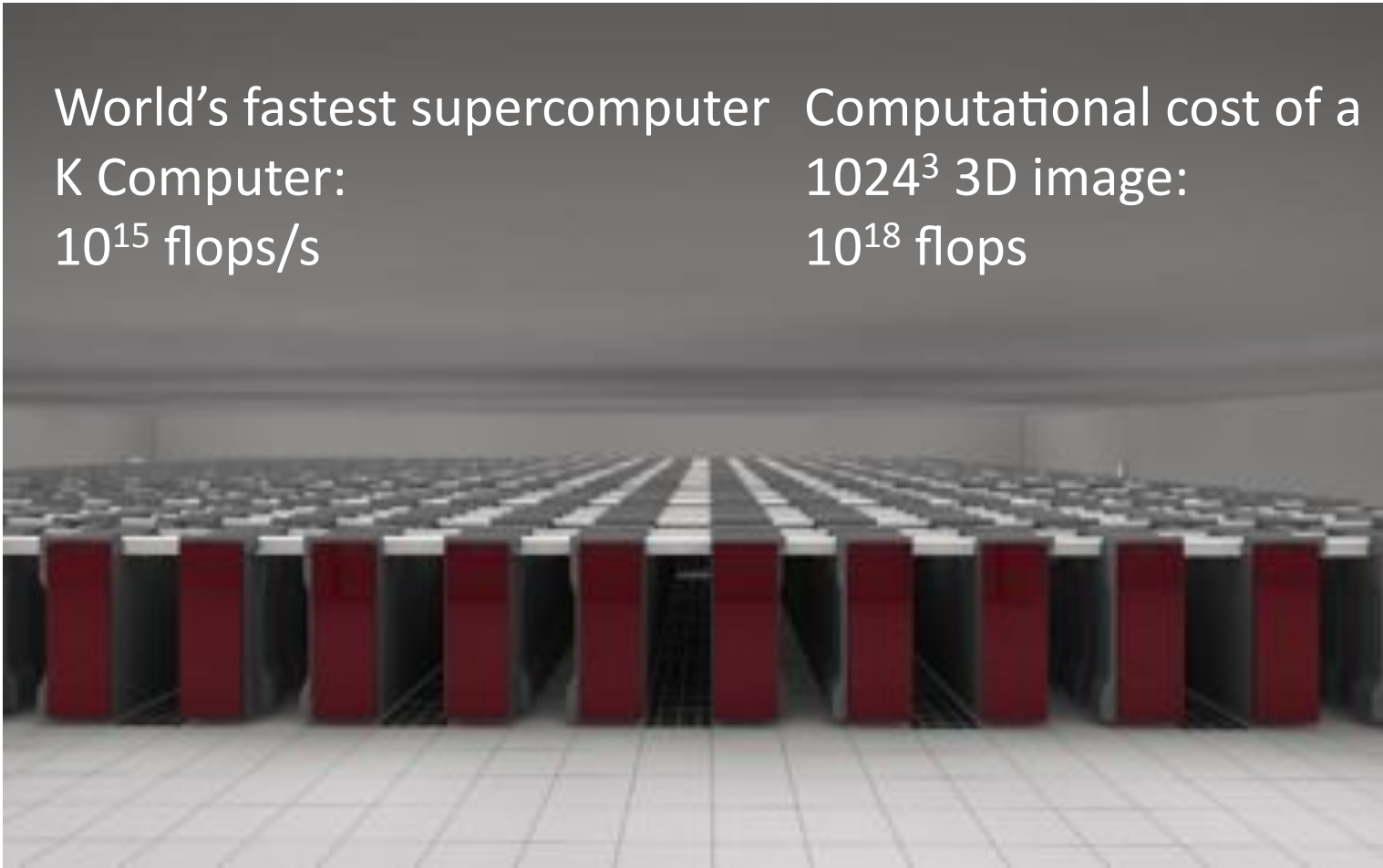
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Yoon, C.H. et al. Optics Express 19, 16542-9 (2011).

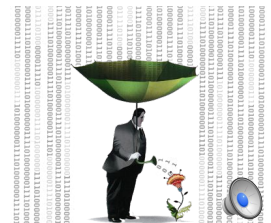


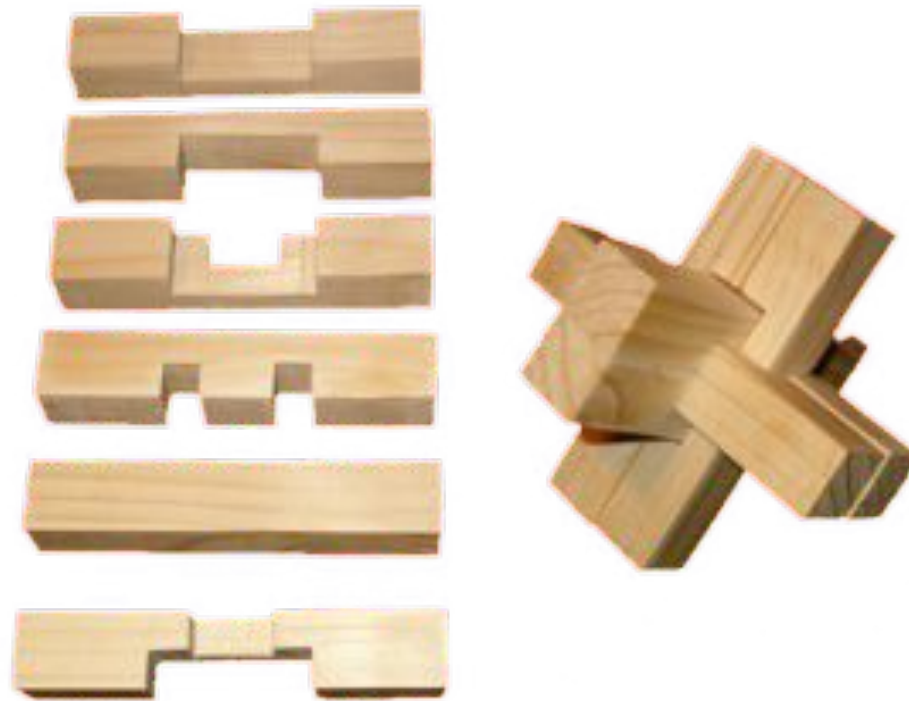
# The computational requirements will grow such that making scalable software will be a necessity

World's fastest supercomputer K Computer: $10^{15}$ flops/s	Computational cost of a $1024^3$ 3D image: $10^{18}$ flops
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Data sharing and standard file formats are necessary building blocks for improved analysis software



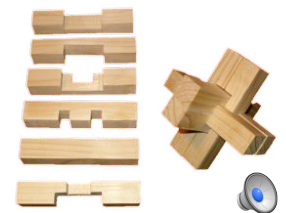
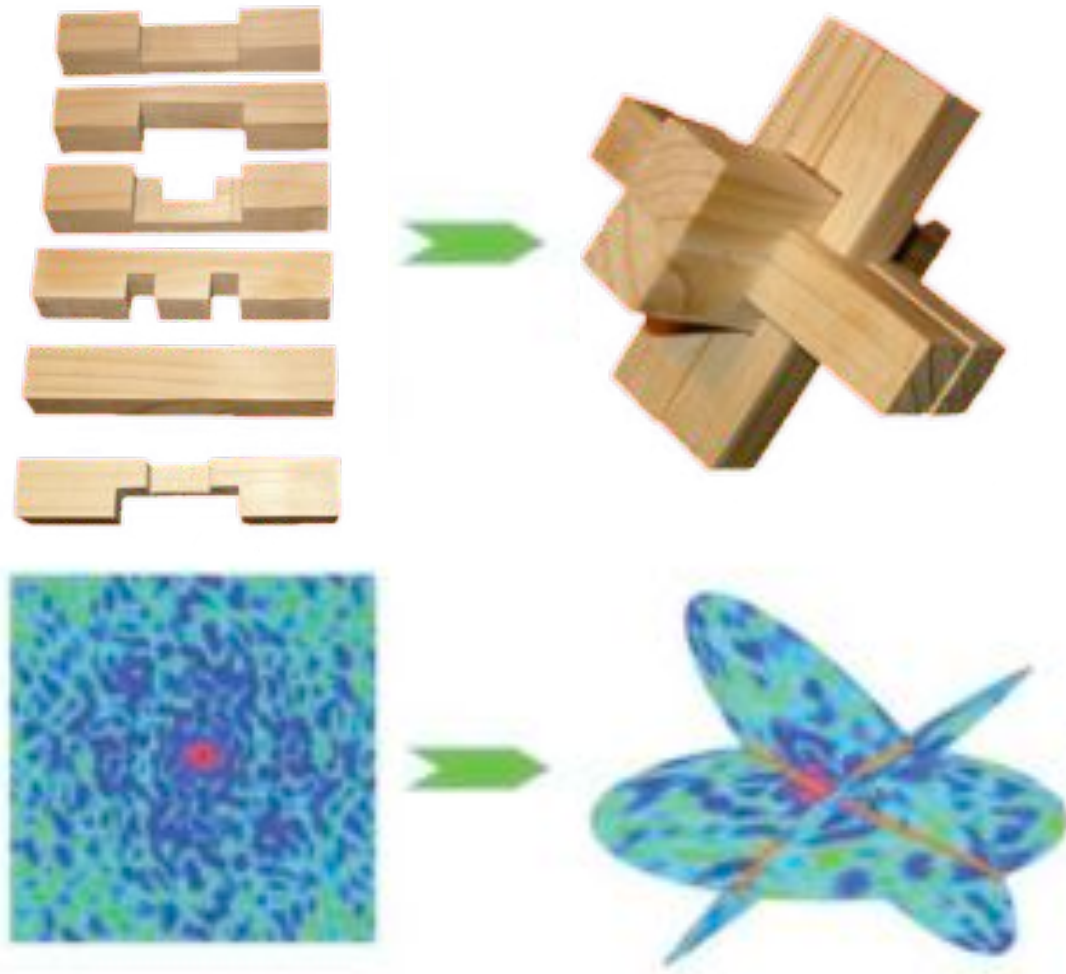


## 3D Assembly



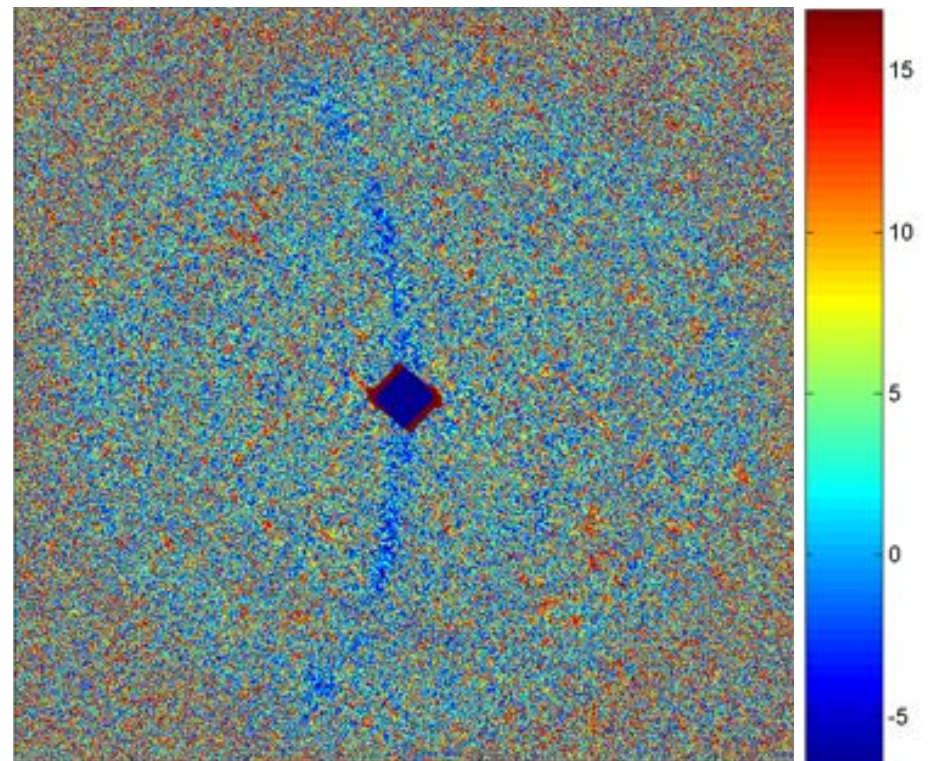
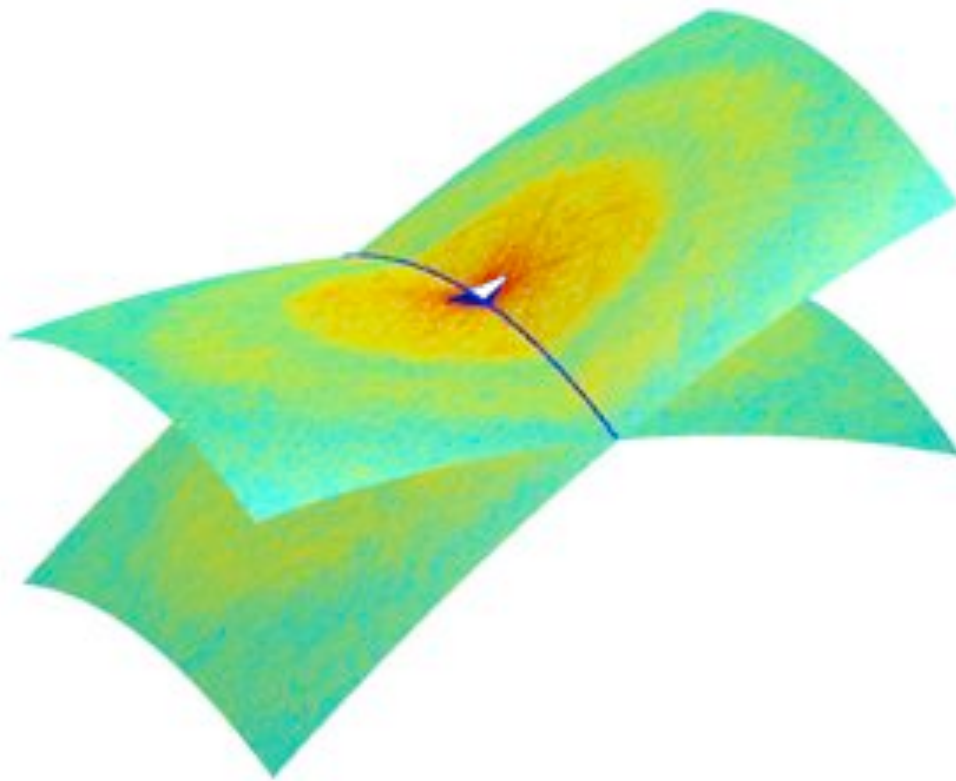


# 3D assembly of the diffraction data is a hard puzzle

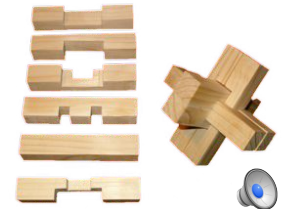


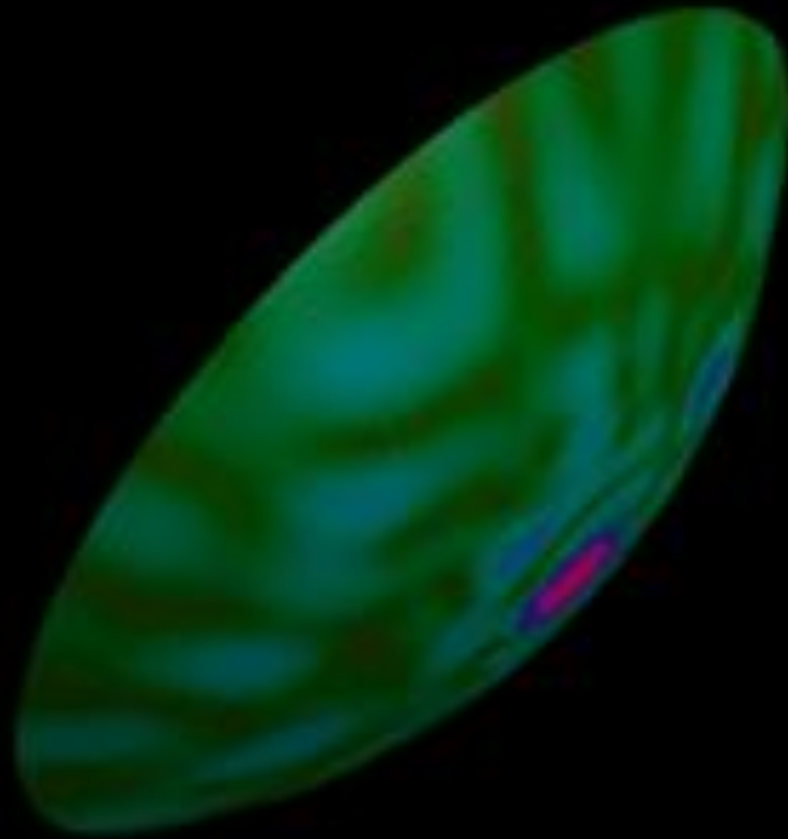
# Algorithms developed for electron microscopy can in principle be used to solve the problem

Difference of patterns at two object  
orientations

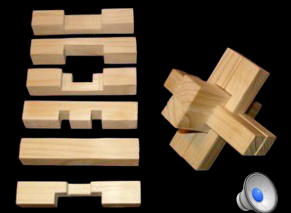


Gösta Huldt *et.al.*  
*J.Struct.Biol.* 144, 219 (2003)

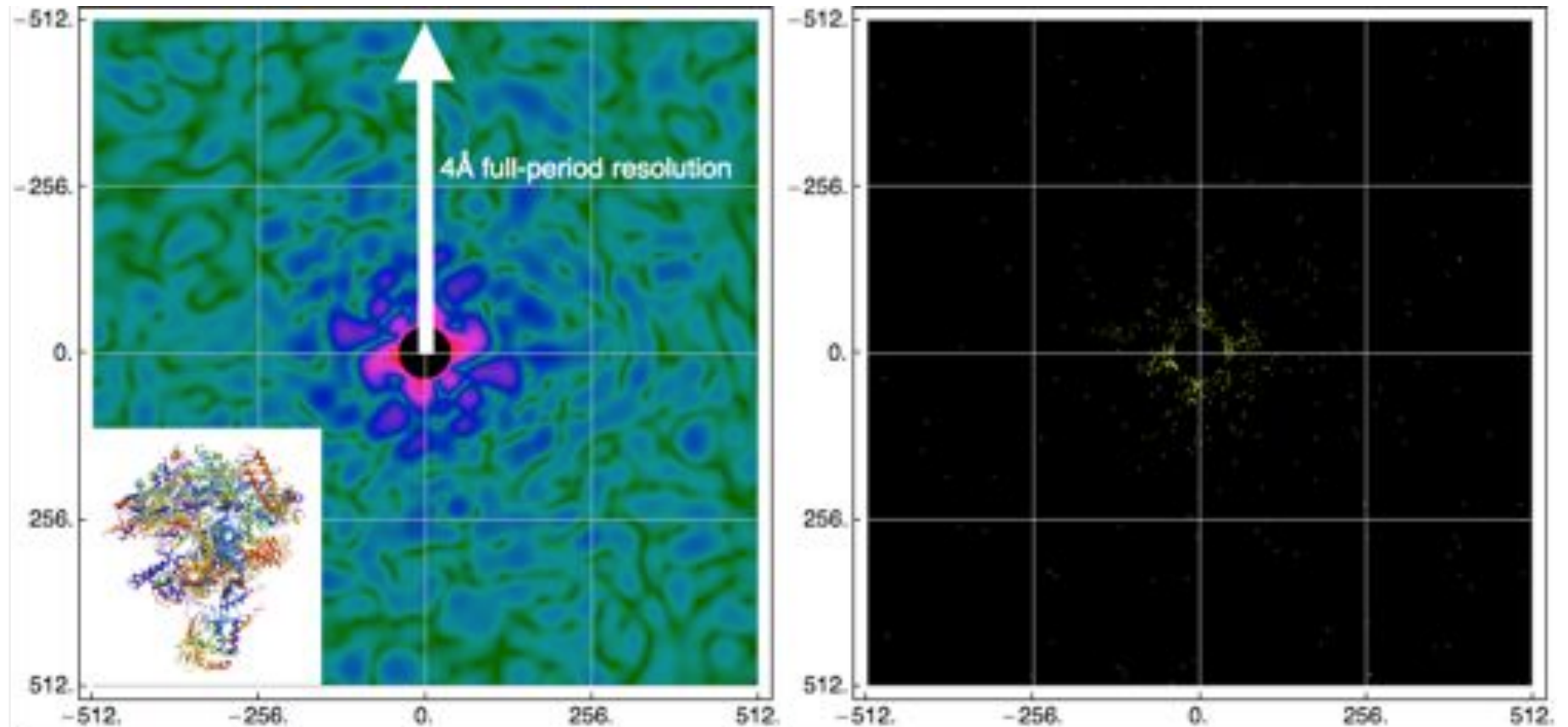




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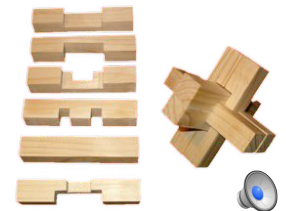


In practice the signal is too weak and new algorithms are required



$10^{12}$  incident photons per pulse  
100nm focus diameter,  
1.5Å radiation

~600 photons



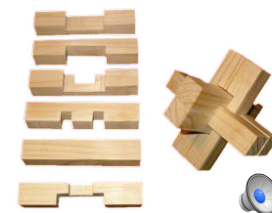
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# Example of the Expand Maximize Compress (EMC) algorithm in 2D

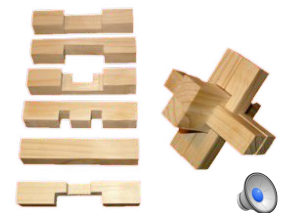
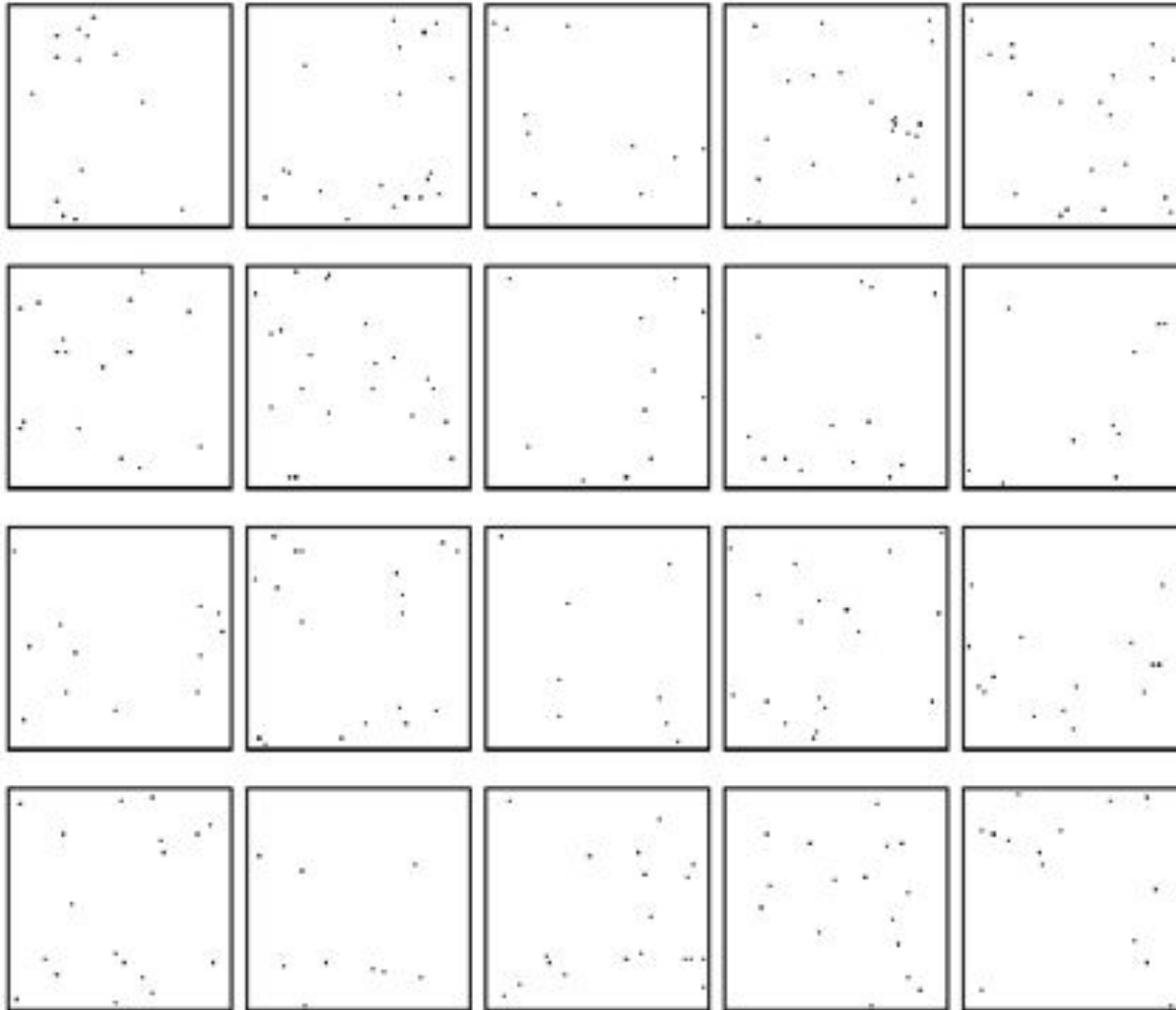


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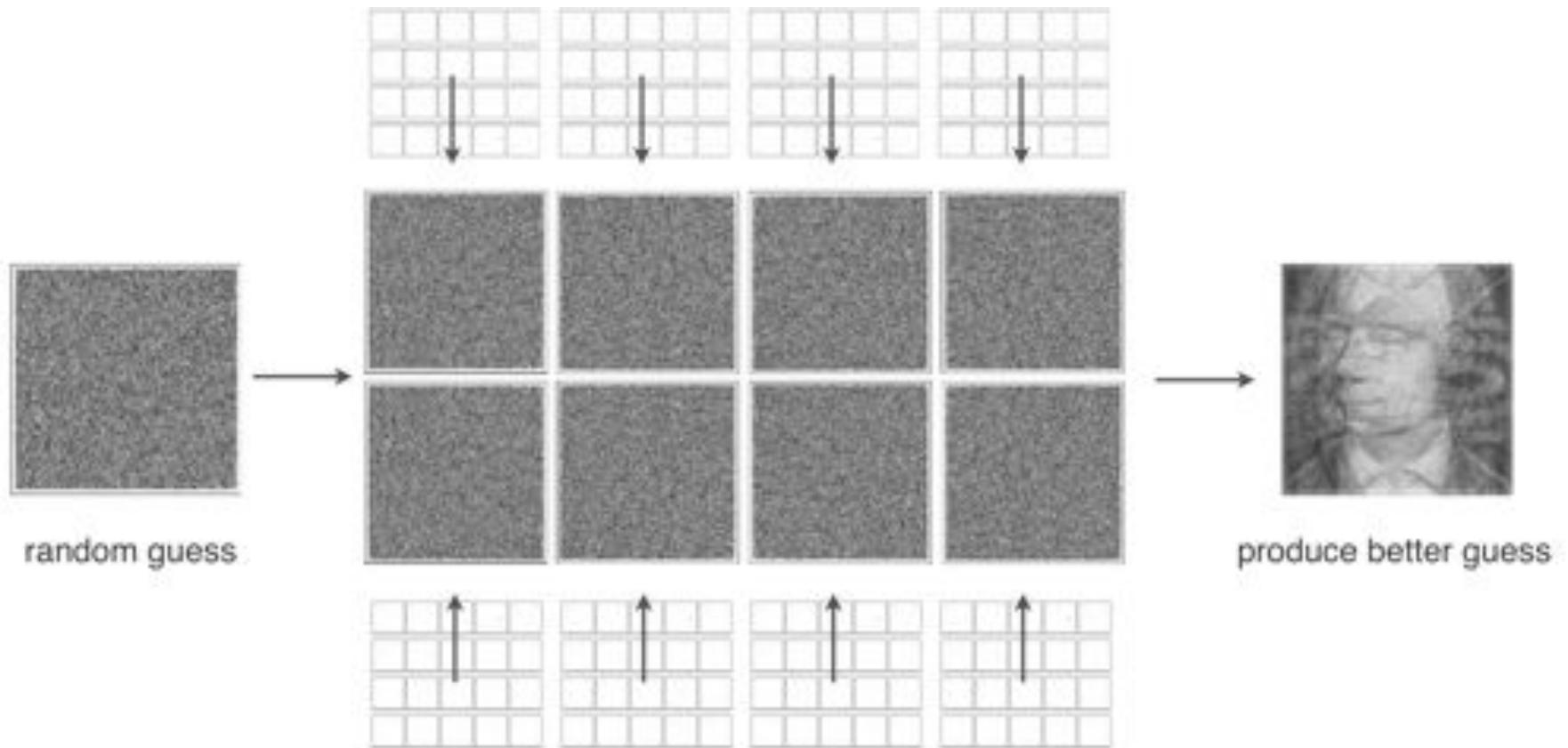
## The noisy images



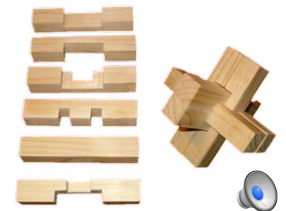
If we knew the solution we could just compare the data against it to determine the orientation



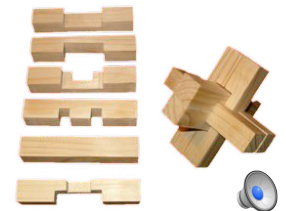
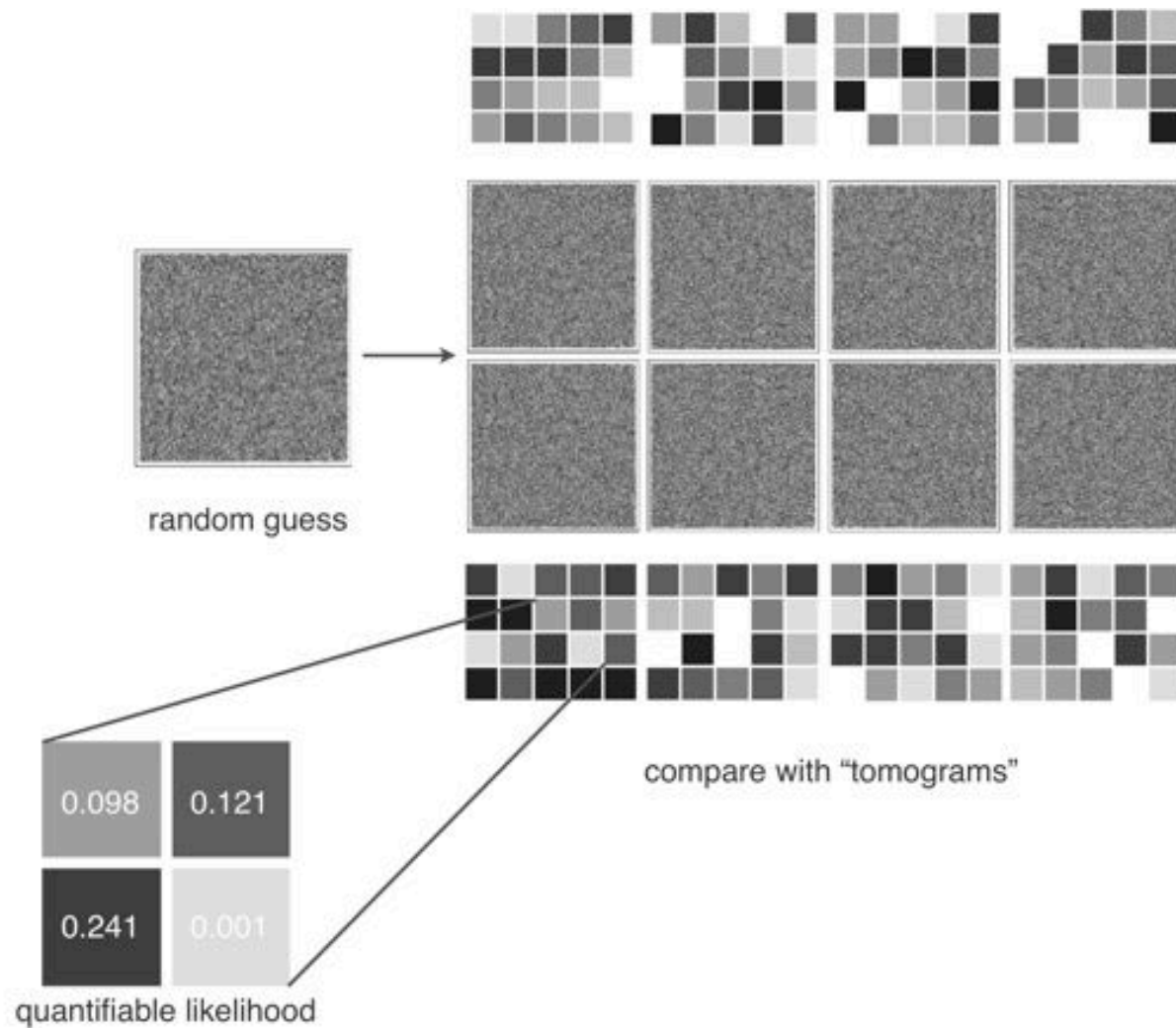
In practice we start from a random model and use the output as the model for the next iteration



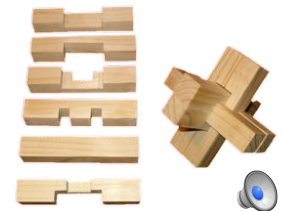
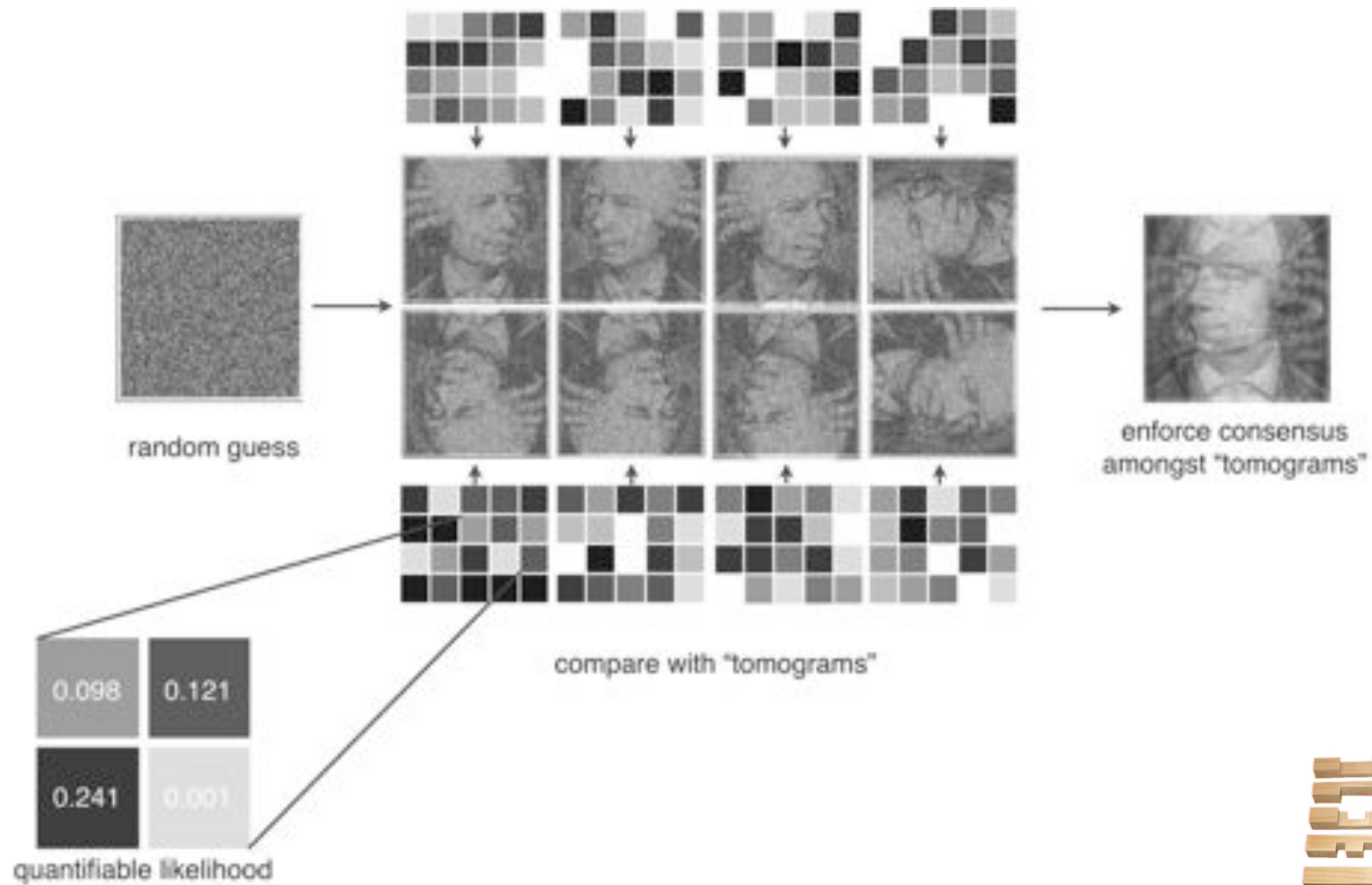
compare data against  
"tomograms" of random guess



The probability that the images correspond to each orientation of the model is calculated

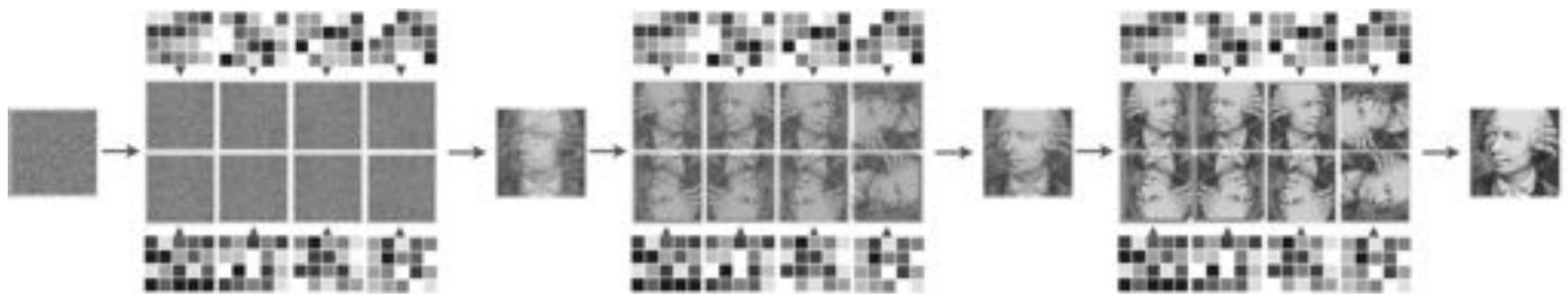


The images, weighted by the probabilities are combined in a new model

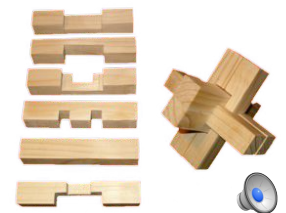




The process has to be repeated iteratively until the solution is reached



Veit Elser, Cornell University.



# The method was demonstrated experimentally

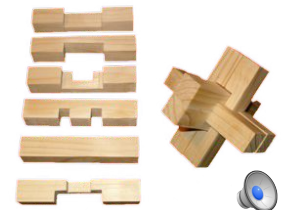
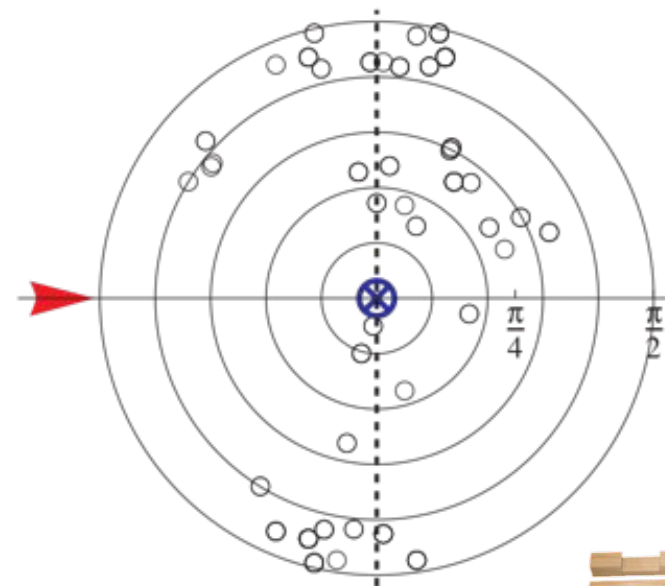
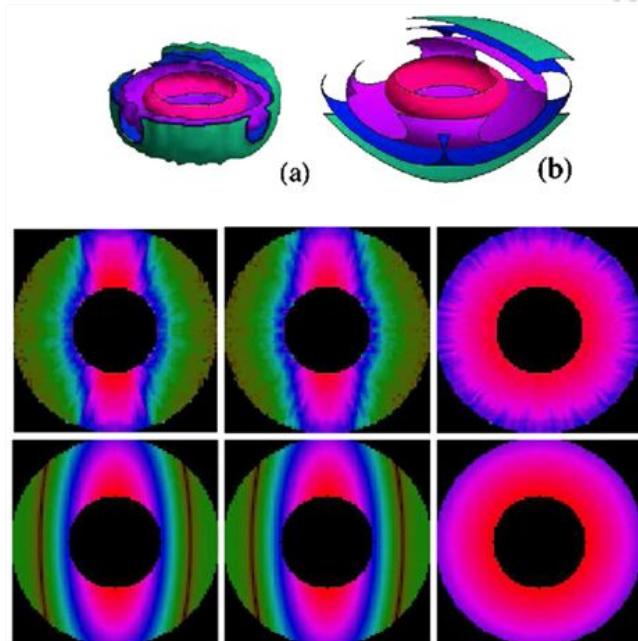
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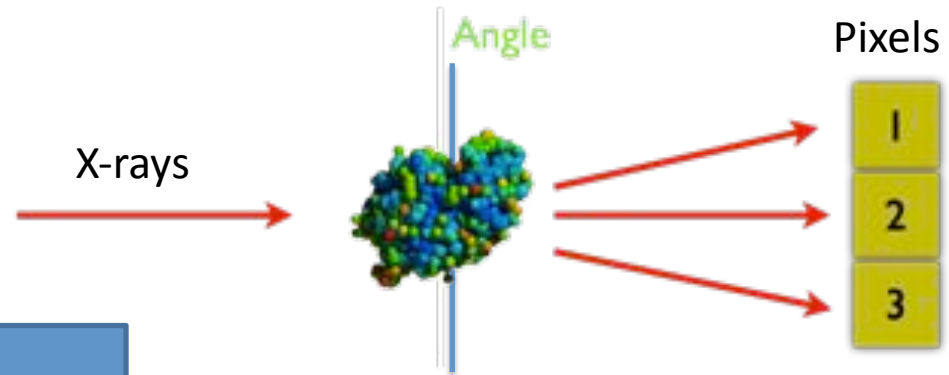
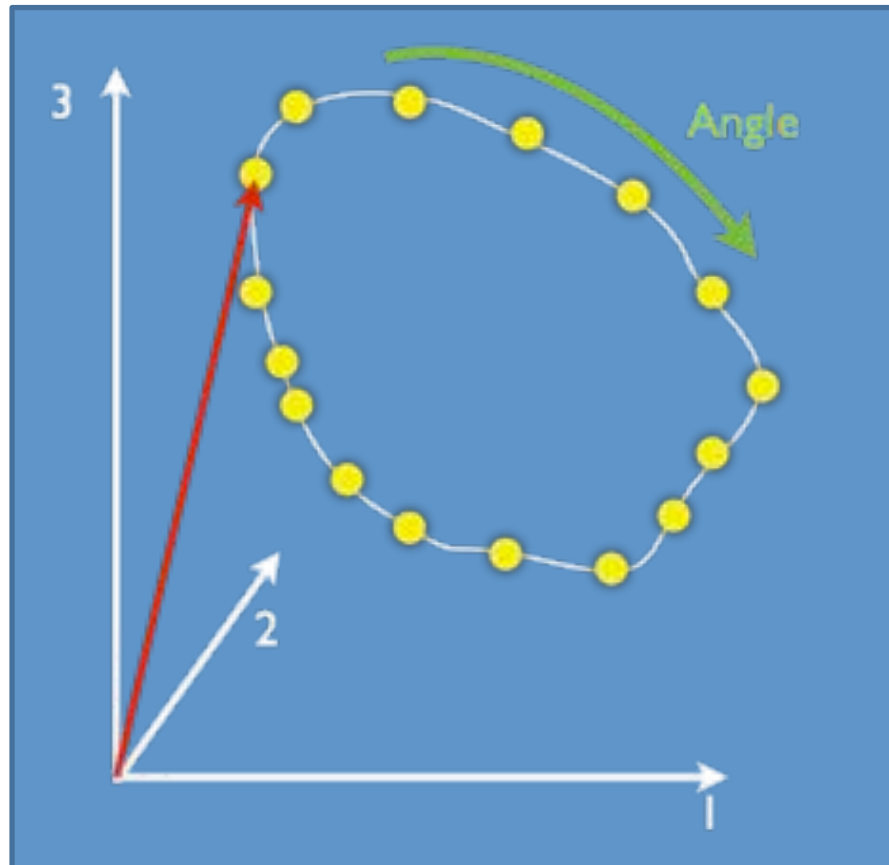
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## Cryptotomography: Reconstructing 3D Fourier Intensities from Randomly Oriented Single-Shot Diffraction Patterns

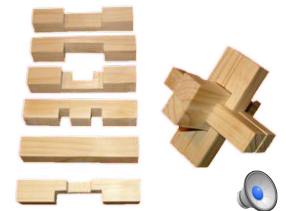
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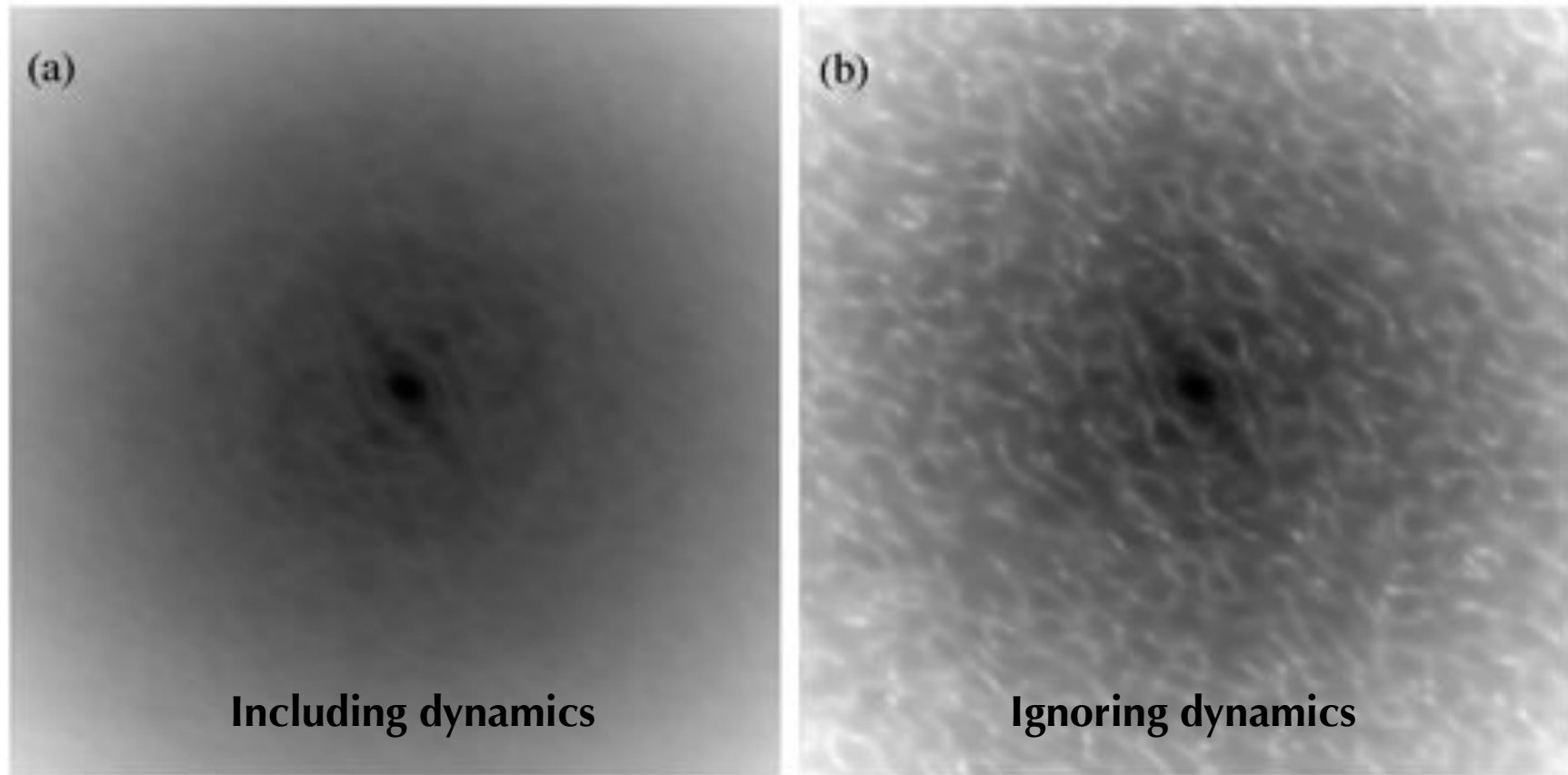
# Manifold embedding based algorithms are another possible alternative



1. Pixels form an n-dimensional hyperspace
2. Each diffraction pattern is a unique point in n-space
3. Points move in n-space as the sample rotates
4. Euclidean metric links adjacent points into a smooth manifold encoding sample rotation

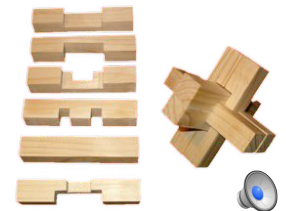


# Sample variability is another obstacle to high resolution

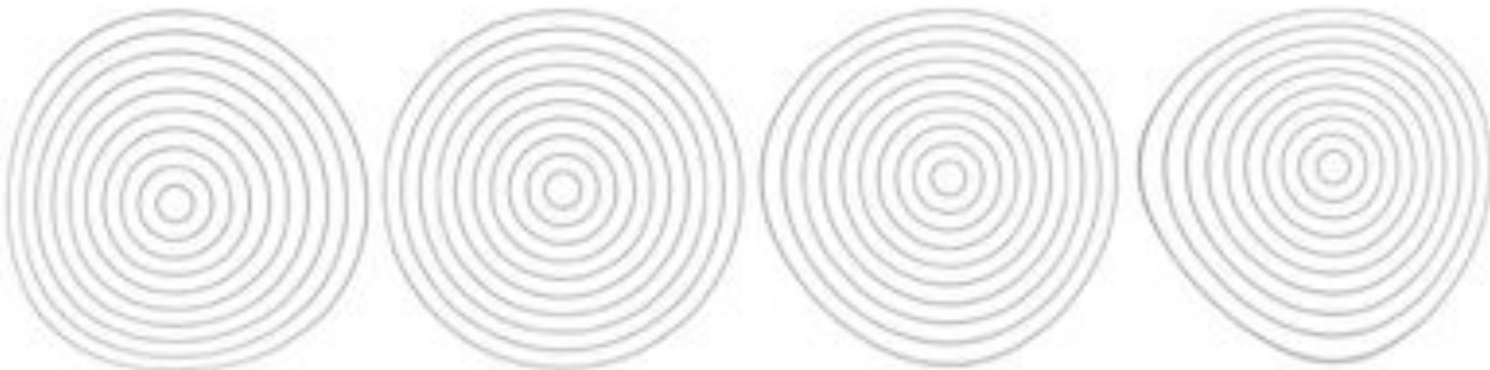


Averaged diffraction patterns from Lysozyme

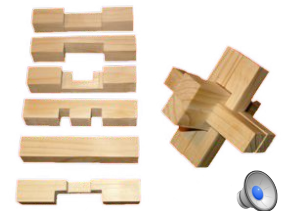
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# EMC can be used to distinguish a limited amount of variability

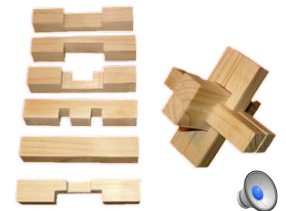
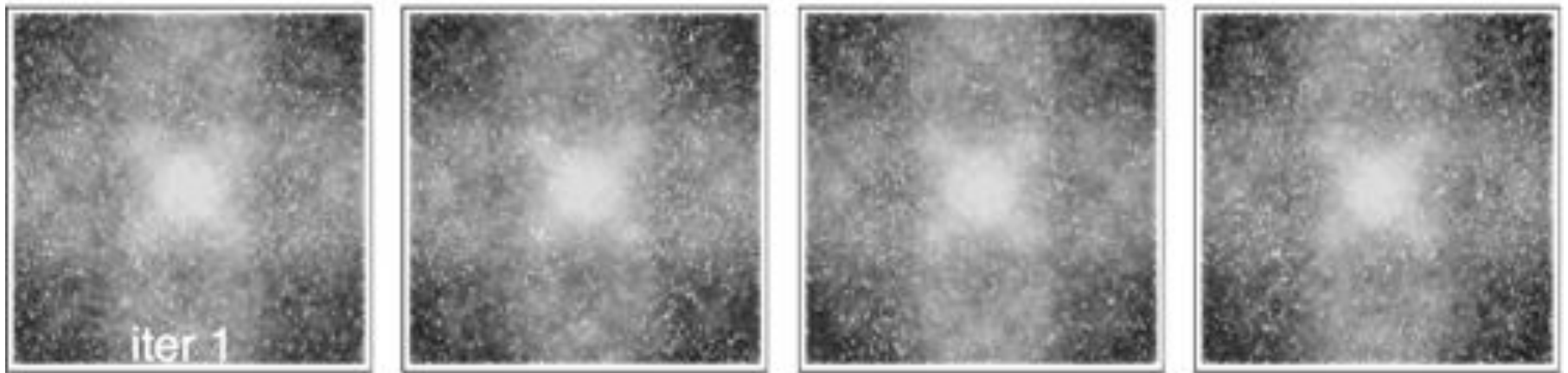


Data includes distortions of original image.





**EMC can be used to distinguish a limited amount of variability**



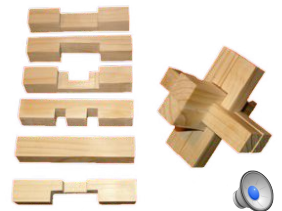
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Recovered Images



Solution

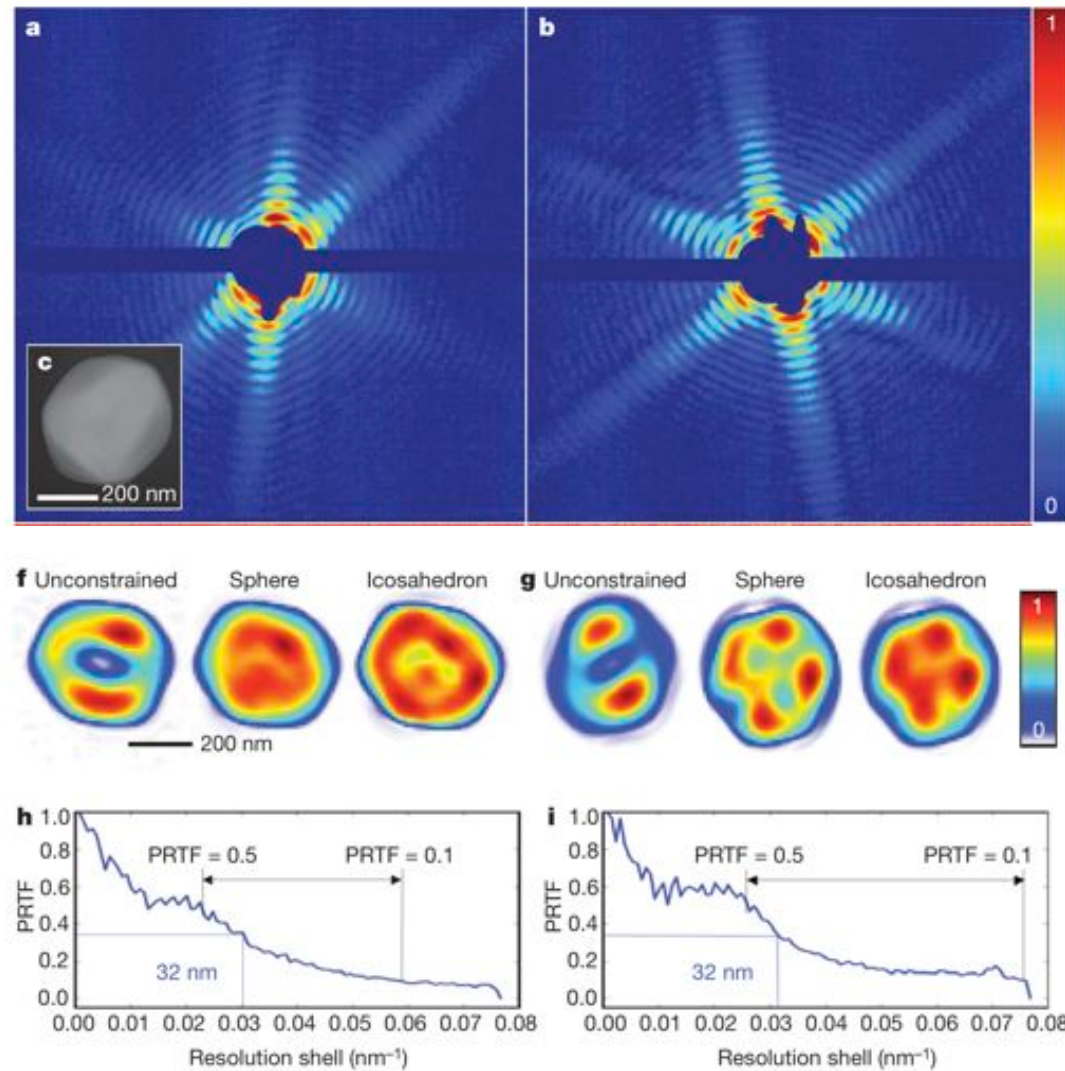




**Validation**



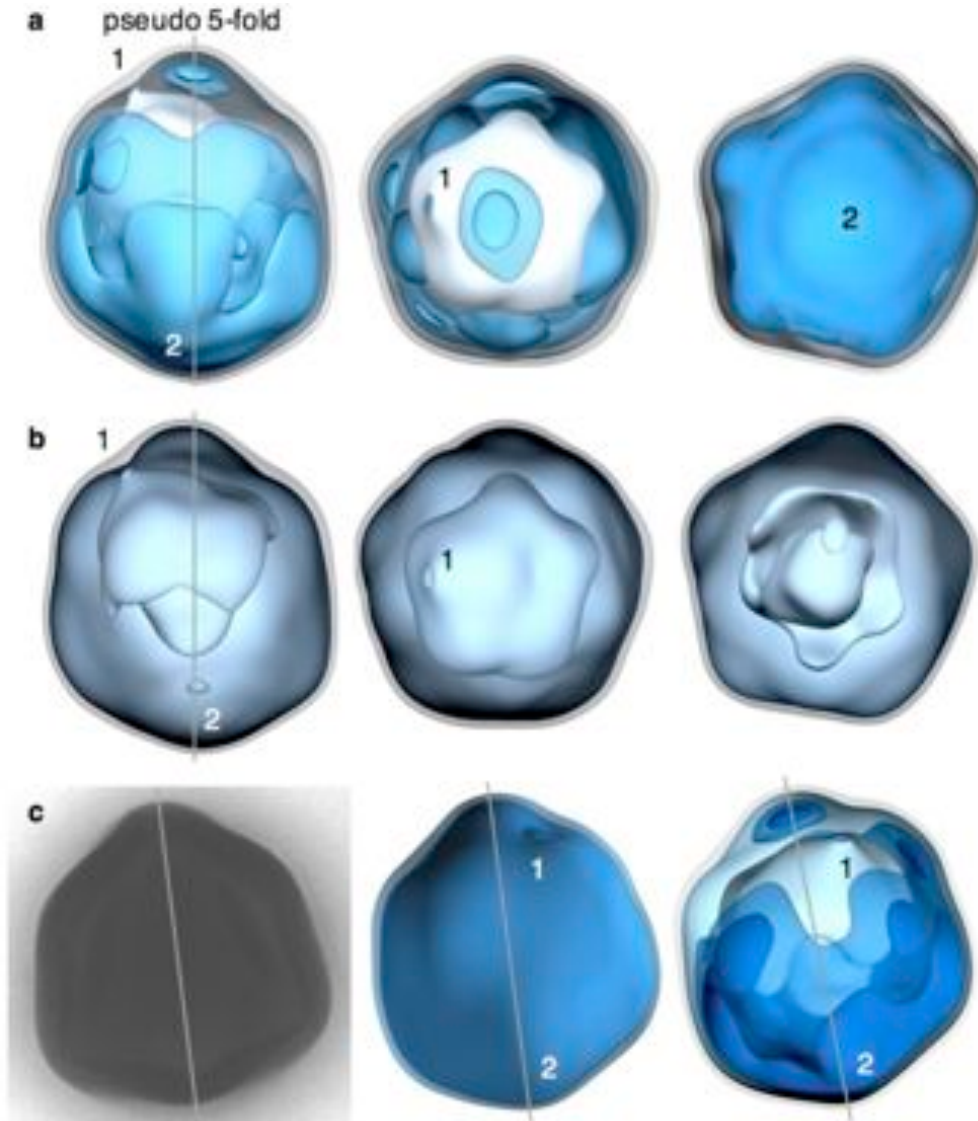
# Validation and correct interpretation of results can be hard due to the complexity of the method



Seibert, M.M. et al.  
Nature 470, 78-81 (2011).



# The introduction of the 3D assembly brings a whole new set of possible sources of error



Tomas Ekeberg,  
Uppsala University  
manuscript in preparation





Thank you.

Questions?





# Automation



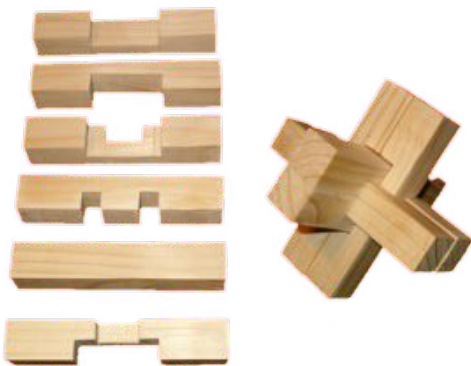
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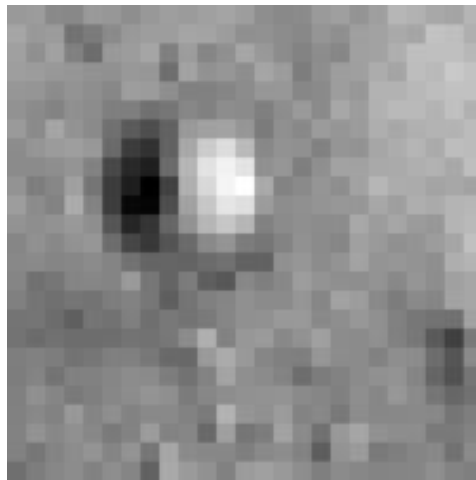
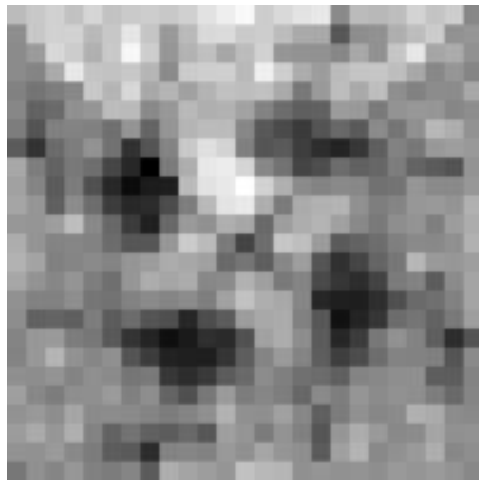
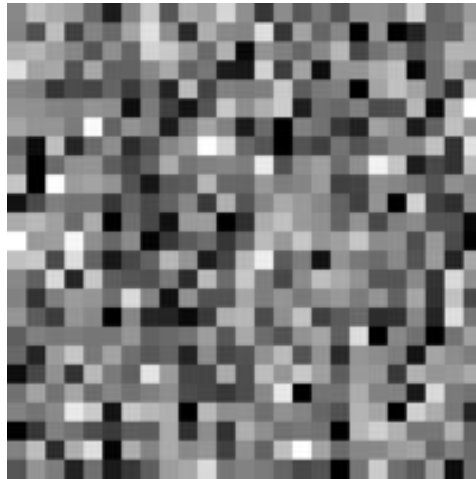
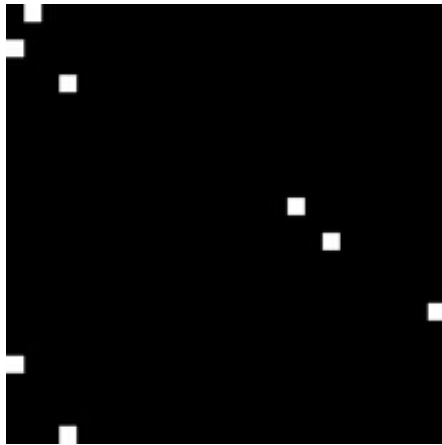


3D Assembly



Automation

# The EMC algorithm fits each image against a model, and combines them to create a new model



1. Start with a random model
2. Compare experimental images to model in all possible positions.
3. Combine the experimental images in a new model according to how well they fit the previous model in each position.
4. Go to 2.

